From: Johnny Chidiac
To: Microsoft ATR
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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

Dear Sirs:

I wish to express my extreme displeasure with the proposed settlement between the Department of Justice and Microsoft over the antitrust violations of Microsoft. As a matter of court record, Microsoft has proven itself, throughout the proceedings of the case, to be exceptionally opportunistic and absurdly unethical on a number of levels. It should be obvious that Microsoft will stop at nothing in order to prevail in this case (or anywhere else, for that matter) and therefore, that any remedy short of splitting the company would do little to curtail their predatory and unethical business practices.

Microsoft is the big bully on the block -- the kid that grew up bigger and faster than the other kids -- and it will keep on bullying until someone bigger and stronger puts a stop to it. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely, John N. Chidiac